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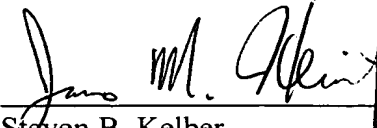
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FORMAL DRAWINGS (6 Sheets)

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Respectfully submitted,

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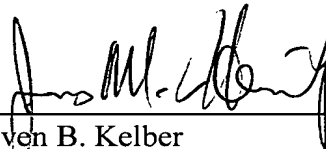
Responsive to the notification dated January 18, 2001, Applicants submit herewith

Formal Drawings (6 Sheets, Figures 1-6)

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

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